

LeA-34,897

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

.....  
ANDREAS BULAN ET AL :

**SERIAL NO:** To be assigned :

**FILED:** -HEREWITH- :

**FOR:** "PROCESS FOR PREPARING  
TRICHLORSILANE" :

**ART UNIT:**

**EXAMINER:**

4/A  
D.G.  
4-8-02

.....  
Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

"Express Mail" No.: ET284672145 Date: -OCTOBER 09, 2001-  
I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being  
deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail  
Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the  
date indicated above and is addressed to Box PCT,  
Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

-Barbara J. Miller-  
(Typed or printed name) of  
person mailing paper or fee)

*Barbara J. Miller*  
(Signature of person  
mailing paper or fee)

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to the determination of the filing fee and any action  
on the merits of the accompanying new patent application, kindly  
amend the application as follows:

**In the Claims:**

Please amend claims 3-4 and 6-10 as follows: